L. H. J. The petition of Thomas Cook is read and referrd to the Comittee of Aggrievances to view the Work and to make their report thereon.

Esq^r Hall from the upper House delivers M^r Speaker a Complaint exhibited to that House ag^t Thomas Macnemara Esq^r the Navall Officer of Patuxent for sundry misfeazances wth some Letters and an Account thereto relating thus endorst, viz.

To his Excy John Hart Esqr Governour of Maryland &ca

In obedience to your Excy's Comands I have inspected the above Account and do find that by the Officers Adding the Parr to make the Navall Officers and his L^{pps} Shipping Officers fees forty Seven Shillings Sterling there is an overcharge in the Said fees of fifteen Shill^s & eight pence Currency. And that the Draw back on Liquors is Denyed to the value of One pound ten Shillings and Six pence Curr^t I am your Excys

most Obedient humble Servant William Bladen.

By the upper house of Assembly May the 2^d 1718.

The Account and the Letters thereto relating are referred to the Consideracon of the lower house of Assembly whether it be not an Oppression & discouragem^t to Trade

Sign'd p Order. Jnº Beard Cl: Uppr House

The Consideracon whereof is referred till to morrow An engrost Bill to enable Benjamin Howard to Sell certain Lands in Ann ard Coty and for entailing other Lands in Balt. Coty was read and Ordered to be thus Endorst viz:

May the 2^d 1718.

Read and Assented to by the Lower House of Assembly & Signed p Order M Jenifer Cl: lo: ho:

An engrost Bill to invest the right heirs of Edward Day with certain Lands in Somerset Co^{ty} was read and ordered to be thus endorst viz:

May the 2^d 1718.

Read and assented to by the lower House of Assembly & Signed per Order M: Jenifer Cl: lo: ho:

p. 49 and Sent to the upper house by Cap^t Pollard M^r Lloyd & M^r Turbut, they return and Say they Delivered them.